1 2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE 8 STAR E. KNIGHT, 9 Case No. C11-1610-RSL-JPD Plaintiff, 10 11 v. REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner of 12 Social Security, 13 Defendant. 14 15 Plaintiff brought this action to seek judicial review of the denial of her application for 16 disability benefits by the Commissioner of the Social Security Administration. Dkt. 1. The 17 parties have stipulated that this case should be reversed and remanded for further administrative 18 proceedings pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). Dkt. 15. 19 Based on the stipulation of the parties, the Court recommends that this case be 20 REVERSED and REMANDED for further administrative proceedings. On remand, the 21 Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") shall: (1) offer Plaintiff an opportunity for a hearing, where 22 Plaintiff may present new arguments and further medical evidence, if such evidence becomes 23 available; (2) reassess Plaintiff's severe impairments, including medical evidence regarding her 24 carpal tunnel syndrome, fibromyalgia, and chronic back disorder; (3) reconsider the weight given REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION PAGE - 1

1	to the indication of no limitations in sitting, standing, or walking in the Physical Residual
2	Functional Capacity (RFC) Assessment form completed by a single decision maker in light of
3	opinions from treating physicians Kin Lui, M.D., and Clark O. Parrish, M.D., and examining
4	physician Leonard Kolodychuk, M.D.; (4) evaluate and further develop the medical opinions of
5	record as needed following reconsideration of the above evidence; (5) reevaluate Plaintiff's RFC
6	as necessary; and (6) reevaluate Plaintiff's ability to perform her past relevant work or other
7	work in light of Plaintiff's RFC.
8	Upon proper application, the Court will consider whether reasonable attorney's fees
9	should be awarded pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412.
10	A proposed order accompanies this Report and Recommendation.
11	DATED this 16th day of February, 2012.
12	James P. Donokue
13	JAMES P. DONOHUE United States Magistrate Judge
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